register of wills for the purpose of being so proved, the said register shall cause to be made out and filed among the records of his court, a copy of said will duly certified under the seal of his court; and the probate of any will so taken shall have the same effect and be as valid as if all of the witnesses thereto had appeared before and been examined by the orphans' court or the register of wills of the county or city where the same had been filed for probate and record, provided further that the orphans' court may in their discretion, accept proof of any will, in the manner prescribed in section 337 of this article, when the attendance of the witnesses thereto cannot, in the judgment of the said court be conveniently had.

1892, ch 504.

337. If any witness or witnesses to any will shall die before probate thereof, or if at the time of the probate of any will any witness or witnesses shall be non-residents or beyond the jurisdiction of the orphans' court, or if for any other reason their presence cannot be secured, then proof by any credible witness of the signature of the testator or of the signature of any such deceased or absent witness shall have the same effect upon the probate of said will as if said deceased or absent witness had been present at said probate and had testified that said will was duly executed.

ARTICLE XCV.

TREASURER.

- 23. Counting and cancellation of bonds and stocks; report to
- 26. Money in excess to be held to the credit of the general sinking 30. Duplicate certificates for bank
- 7. Clerks to treasurer; their salaries. | 28. Securities, how to be kept. Who shall be entitled to have access thereto.
 - be filed; bonds to be burned. 29. Record of the sinking fund account.
 - stock owned by State.